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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
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Ex parte ALEXANDER CONRAD & CHARLES BELL

Appeal No. 97-3101
Application 08/421,810¹

ORDER REMANDING TO EXAMINER

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On July 29, 1998, applicants presented an Request for Reconsideration (Paper No. 20), requesting that the amendment filed on May 19, 1998 be entered.

The Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §§ 1207 and 1211.01 sets forth the necessary guidelines for how an amendment, filed when the Board has jurisdiction of the appeal.

¹ Application for patent filed April 13, 1995, which is said to be a continuation of Application No. 07/957,662, filed October 7, 1992, now U.S. Patent No. 5,426,425.

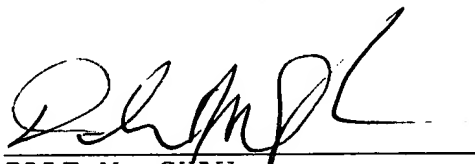
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ACCORDINGLY, it is

ORDERED that the application is remanded to the Examiner to consider the appropriateness of the Request for Reconsideration filed July 29, 1998 as set forth in the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §§ 1207 and 1211.01 and for such further action as may be appropriate.

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